BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
)
Patrick Hughes for US Scnate and) MUR 6229
Bryan J. Freel, as Treasurer: Case)
Closure (EPS))

CERTIFICATION

I, Darlene Harris, Acting Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on March 18, 2010, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to dismiss MUR 6229, close the file, and approve the appropriate letters, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated March 4, 2010.

Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

March 18, 2010

Darlene Harris

Acting Secretary of the Commission